## EXHIBIT 9



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Jason,

Judge Sheindlin already reduced her fees once. Also, Respondents advocated for her to be arbitrator all along until this point. Doesn't make sense.

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On May 17, 2022, at 9:51 AM, Jason Mizrahi <Jason@levinepstein.com> wrote:

Hi Maggie,

We have discussed this issue at length over the phone, multiple times.

The current arbitrator's fees in this case are prohibitively expensive.

We would request that another arbitrator, with reasonable fees be appointed, so we may continue.

Thank you, Jason

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